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Response to the Official Action dated March 14, 2003

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Applicant: Mitsuru ARIMURA, et al. Docket No. 43890-432

Title: PORTABLE TELEPHONE APPARATUS AND CHANGING METHOD OF ANSWERING METHOD OF THE SAME Serial/Reg./Patent No. 09/642,784

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In re Application of

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Serial No.: 09/642,784

Group Art Unit: 2684

Filed: August 22, 2000

Examiner: Charles Chow

For: **PORTABLE TELEPHONE APPARATUS AND CHANGING METHOD OF ANSWERING METHOD OF THE SAME**

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
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